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OVERLAND PARK MAN SENTENCED FOR COCAINE CONSPIRACY

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that an Overland Park, Kan., man was sentenced in federal court today for participating in a conspiracy to distribute cocaine.

Hilario Jacobo-Bejar, 34, of Overland Park, was sentenced by U.S. District Judge Scott O. Wright this morning to five years in federal prison without parole.

On Dec. 22, 2003, **Jacobo-Bejar** pleaded guilty to participating in a conspiracy to distribute 500 grams or more of cocaine on July 23, 2003.

On Nov. 20, 2003, co-defendant **Miguel A. Lombera**, 29, of Kansas City, Mo., pleaded guilty to conspiring to distribute 500 grams or more of cocaine on July 23, 2003. He also pleaded guilty possession with intent to distribute 500 grams or more of cocaine on July 23, 2003, and distribution of cocaine on July 14, 2003, and July 16, 2003.

Jacobo-Bejar and **Lombera** were originally charged in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury on Aug. 20, 2003, in Kansas City.

The case is being prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney David M. Ketchmark. It was investigated by the Kansas City, Mo., Police Department.

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